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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PFOR IN
SUBJECT: INDIAN FOREIGN SECRETARY'S QUERY ON US SALE OF
ARMS TO PAKISTAN

REF: STATE 071586 (NOTAL)

1. WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL FOR THE DEPARTMENT'S PROMPT
REPLY IN REGARD TO THE SUBMITTAL TO CONGRESS ON
MILITARY SALES. THE FOREIGN SECRETARY EXPRESSED HIS
APPRECIATION FOR THE INFORMATION AND ASKED IF WE COULD AGREE TO
SOME FORMULATION FOR A RESPONSE TO A QUESTION IN PARLIAMENT
IN ORDER TO PREVENT EXCESSIVE
SPECULATION THERE WHEN A QUESTION IS ASKED
ON APRIL 2. THE CHARGE AND THE
FOREIGN SECRETARY WORKED OUT THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED RESPONSE
WHICH THE GOI WILL USE ON APRIL 2 UNLESS THE DEPART-
MENT TAKES EXCEPTION TO IT: WE UNDERSTAND THE USG
HAS UNDER CONSIDERATION SALES OF WEAPONS
FOR A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES INCLUDING PAKISTAN. SPARES
FOR EXISTING EQUIPMENT -- NOT NEW EQUIPMENT -- WILL
BE PROVIDED TO PAKISTAN.

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2. THE CHARGE POINTED OUT TO THE FOREIGN SECRETARY
THAT THE PARTS TO BE PROVIDED FOR THE PAKISTANI TANKS
WOULD BE UPGRADED SPARES. THE FOREIGN SECRETARY
UNDERSTOOD THAT BUT CONSIDERED THE ABOVE REPLY TO
BE ADEQUATE FOR HIS PURPOSES.
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